

1 Hon. John H. Chun
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7 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON
AT SEATTLE

8 ABHAY BHOPAT,
9 Plaintiff,

10 v.
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12 THE PRUDENTIAL COMPANY OF
AMERICA,

13 Defendant.

No. C24-1174JHC

SCHEDULING ORDER

14 Deadline for Defendant to Produce Copy
15 of Administrative Record to Plaintiff

January 17, 2025

16 Deadline for Parties to File Copy of
17 Administrative Record

February 18, 2025

18 Deadline for Parties to file FRCP 52 Motions
19 for Trial on the Administrative Record
(not to exceed 30 pages)

March 20, 2025

20 Response Briefs due
(not to exceed 30 pages)

April 10, 2025

21 Reply Briefs due
(not to exceed 12 pages)

April 17, 2025

22 The Court declines to set a trial date at this time, but will do so in consultation
23 with counsel after submission of the parties' briefing.

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25 If any of the dates identified in this Order or the Local Civil
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1 Rules fall on a weekend or federal holiday, the act or event shall be performed on
2 the next business day. These are firm dates that can be changed only by order of
3 the court, not by agreement of counsel or parties. The court will alter these dates
4 only upon good cause shown: failure to complete discovery within the time allowed
5 is not recognized as good cause.

6 As required by LCR 37(a), all discovery matters are to be resolved by
7 agreement if possible. In addition, pursuant to Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 16,
8 the Court “direct[s] that before moving for an order relating to discovery, the movant
9 must request a conference with the court” by notifying Ashleigh Drecktrah at
Ashleigh_Drecktrah@wawd.uscourts.gov. See Fed. R. Civ. P. 16(b)(3)(B)(v).

10 If the administrative record in this case requires more than one PDF on
11 CM/ECF, the filing party must identify the page range for each PDF (*e.g.*,
12 “Attachments: # 1 AR 1 – 982 (Part 1 of 4), # 2 AR 983 – 1699 (Part 2 of 4),” and so
13 on).

14 Should this case settle, counsel shall notify Ashleigh Drecktrah as soon as
15 possible at Ashleigh_Drecktrah@wawd.uscourts.gov. An attorney who fails to give
16 the Deputy Clerk prompt notice of settlement may be subject to such discipline as
17 the court deems appropriate.

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20 DATED: December 18, 2024.
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s/ Ashleigh Drecktrah
Ashleigh Drecktrah, Deputy Clerk to
Hon. John H. Chun, Judge
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